

**Re: Upper Cement Creek/Silverton/Animas River - Sunnyside/Jim Martin meeting**

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I also have no additions to the talking points but I agree with Steve that the team needs to ask Sunnyside what collaboration means to them.

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Steve Wharton---01/20/2012 02:11:50 PM---Richard, I have no additions or comments on your draft talking points. If Jim and Howard do success

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Richard, I have no additions or comments on your draft talking points. If Jim and Howard do successfully redirect the Sunnyside folks to the site team, then at that point, I believe we need to raise the question with them of what collaboration might entail.

Thanks,  
Steve

Richard Sisk---01/19/2012 02:00:48 PM---All - Attached are my thoughts on what we would ask Jim Martin and Howard Cantor to say to Sunnyside

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All - Attached are my thoughts on what we would ask Jim Martin and Howard Cantor to say to Sunnyside in the introductory meeting.

Please add your thoughts, lets discuss if needed, and lets get something to Martin H. as soon as we can.

Thanks

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Jim/Howard - the team is meeting on related topics tomorrow. BLM and CDPHE are coming to the office on Monday. I would like to think this through at least til then, before giving you a recommendation re this interest. It might be worth meeting with them as I think we need a high level conversation to discover what Sunnyside/Kinross really intends with the offer that they have made to participate in the contamination at Cement Creek. Although Kinross/Sunnyside has already articulated that they will fight listing, it may be that we could get them to tell us how they would like to spend the \$ both technically and administratively. We will discuss this and I will get back to you as soon as I have some feedback re the benefits/disadvantages of meeting with them.

Jim Martin---01/18/2012 08:37:42 AM---Martin -- your call on the wisdom of doing this. Jim

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Martin -- your call on the wisdom of doing this.

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Dear Administrator Martin:

At this point in the process of the Upper Cement Creek/Silverton/Animas River matter, I think it would be beneficial for me, and possibly our Lauren Roberts, to have the opportunity to introduce Sunnyside Gold to you or Mr. Cantor. A letter suggesting such a meeting is transmitted herewith. For background, I also attach our letter of 4 October 2011.

Please let me know if a meeting such as I suggest would be agreeable.

Thanks in advance.

Greg

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